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Applicants: Kaneaki Fujishita
Serial No.: 09/600,217
Filed : November 8, 2000
For : AUDIO SIGNAL PROCESSING METHOD AND AUDIO SIGNAL
PROCESSING APPARATUS
Group A.U.: 2644
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AMENDMENT

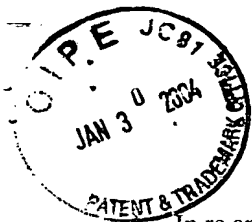
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of October 27, 2003,
Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified
application be amended as follows.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of
claims that begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

The Remarks portion begins on page 5 of this Amendment.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No fee is required.

_____ The fee has been calculated as shown below.

_____ Total claims in excess of 20 previously paid for, at \$18 (\$9) _____.

_____ Independent claims in excess of 3 previously paid for, at \$86 (\$43) _____.

_____ Additional Fee for this Amendment _____.

_____ This response is being filed within the _____ first month, _____ second month, _____ third month, _____ fourth month, _____ fifth month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. Applicants Petition for an extension, and the fee of _____ \$110 (\$55), _____ \$420 (\$205), _____ \$950 (\$465), _____ \$1,450 (\$725), _____ \$1,970 (\$985) is due and paid herewith.

_____ The fee of \$ _____ set by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) for the Information Disclosure Statement is due and paid herewith.

_____ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached.

X Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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